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## BOARD OF TRADE ELECTS OFFICERS

FEW CHANGES IN BOARD OF DIRECTORS.

The regular annual meeting of the Grayling Board of Trade was held in the Board rooms Tuesday evening. There was a fairly good attendance. A number of matters of importance came up, among them being that of the proposed change in the trunk line highway M 18 from the present designated route to one running from Fredrick to Waters parallel with the Michigan Central railroad. Should this change go thru it would cut off one of the best agricultural sections of Crawford county. This community for the future must largely depend upon the agricultural development of the county, and such a change would badly cripple the fine start we now have in Maple Forest. A representative of the Board of Trade will be sent to Lansing to confer with the State highway department on the matter. The following directors were elected: A. J. Joseph, T. P. Peterson, Holger F. Peterson, E. E. Smith and Holger Hanson all for two years, and B. A. Cooley for one year to fill the vacancy made by the leaving of C. W. Olson. The remaining members on the board of directors whose terms do not expire at this time are Marjuss Hanson, C. M. Morfit, Harry Simpson and O. P. Schumann.

New Officers.  
The presidency of the board was offered Vice President C. M. Morfit but was declined. The latter saying that it was not always possible to leave his work whenever it might be necessary to do so. This was considerable of a disappointment to the members. Mr. Morfit has been the vice president for the past two years. The honor and duties of the presidency were conferred upon Holger F. Peterson, vice president. Holger F. Peterson, secretary and treasurer, B. P. Smith, superintendent of schools. Fred Alexander has been the secretary-treasurer for the past two years and his earnest effort is appreciated by the members.

The Board is paying for its club room furnishings and is still greatly in debt but has sufficient funds to keep up its obligations. It is expected there will be a liberal increase in membership this year. Practically all the old members are renewing their membership, and several new applications are on hand.

## THANKSGIVING DAY PROCLAMATION.

By the Governor.

"Oh, that man would praise the Lord for his goodness, and for his wonderful works to the children of men."  
In accordance with the custom long established by our fathers, it is entirely fitting that at this season of the year, we should set apart a day of thanksgiving to Almighty God, the source of all good, for the manifold mercies and blessings that are ours. There is an old legend which says that there are two angels whose duty it is to pass from earth to earth, one is the angel of Requests and the other the angel of Thanksgiving. Each carries a large basket as he flies from place to place, listening at the doors of prayer-closets. The angel of Requests soon has his basket filled and heaped up with the supplications of men, but the angel of Thanksgiving, after going all his rounds, has only a few little hymns of gratitude in the bottom of his basket. Perhaps this fancy is true that we suppose. People murmur and find fault more often than they rejoice and give thanks; but as we look back over the past year, we have abundant reason for Thanksgiving in our individual lives, as a State, and as a nation. A sufficient harvest has been

## T. N. T.

AN EXPLOSION OF PEDIGREE TRUTH.

(Notes of the Grayling School.)

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Pa. Wunst he scold' an' says to me, "Don't play so much, but try to study more, and then you'll be a great man, by and by." Him be a boy an' play. The greatest man on earth, I bet, 'Ud trade with him today!"

School Chat.

They say that the school board are going to give us a new curtain. Who said they didn't have the pep to do it. We certainly will thank them when it arrives.

The school inspector is expected some time this week. So be careful. The date of the Junior Carnival has been changed to Dec. 2. Watch carefully for more news of it.

Max Lewellen entered, and Julian Popbas left the second grade.

Milford Mitchell entered the third grade.

The second graders are learning to tell time.

Junior Red Cross has ordered a pair of scales for use in schools of the county.

We certainly like the way the Speed 'up' drives past the school house. You know he's coming by the noise but you cannot see him. He goes by very slow too. Only about 10 miles an hour.

Juniors first to join the Junior Red Cross. The Seniors were the second to join.

Buttons are not given this year unless you have done some service.

Basket Ball for girls began Nov. 16.

The boys play the first game of the season Nov. 25 at Grayling. The coach will not tell us who we play.

Tests are supposed to be typewritten and each pupil given a copy. Some of the teachers fear that questions would be circulated among the students. We wonder why they have such a distrust.

Modern Health Crusade has been started through the rural school districts.

The 7th and 8th Graders are doing fine work in arithmetic.

This week is known as Americanization week. The week is to be devoted to Americanizing our foreign element throughout the State.

Saga of the Green Pig—the Bridal Couple at the Junior Carnival.

The first marriage of the Lyceum course was a decided success, as we know the remaining numbers will be. The Shubert Ladies Quartette will entertain us on December 13.

The teachers club will have a party Nov. 22.

Monday night the business men will play a series of games of long ball and by the process of elimination the

gathered and we are assured of success for man and beast. Our people, as a rule have been sober and steadfast, honest and industrious. No other land has been so highly favored as our own. We have still grave problems to solve, but gaining courage from the experience of the past, we may go forward in hope and confidence, guided and blessed by the Providence of God.

Therefore, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Governor of the State of Michigan, I hereby join the President of the United States in designating Thursday, November 24, 1921, as a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer.

ALEX. J. GROSBECK, Governor.

winners will play the following Monday night. A small admission will be charged for the purpose of purchasing new equipment.

Superintendent Smith warned the High School pupils about walking on the grass. The public are also requested to observe this warning. For what is sauce for the goose is sauce for the gander.

Buy! Your balloons at the Junior Carnival.

Salt.

Ask Jo Wescott why the porters on the Michigan Central avoid her.

Pupil—(rushing to the door) "The library must be on fire!"

Teacher—"Why?"

Pupil—"Smoke is issuing in volumes."

Morrow—"I would like to have a couple large and strong boys assist me to move this piano."

Lyle Bennett—"How'll I do?"

Lost—1 umbrella and tennis shoes, 1 pr. gauntlet gloves.

Found—The umbrella and tennis shoes together. SCANDAL. We call it.

Two pupils asked to be excused that they might chase their cattle back to the pasture, saying that they would be back later. Which?

They say:

That Kristine Salling has joined the anti-Face powder League.

That Fern Hum is an awfully quiet girl, (outside of class period).

That you can hear her when she recites in class.

That Ruth McCullough always waits until it's her turn to recite whether she knows the question or not.

That Oscar Taylor is going to 'Back and Ruin' just because of Women, Moonshine and Dancing.

A Freshman—One who knows nothing, but knows not that he knows nothing. Shun him.

A Sophomore—One who knows nothing, and knows that he knows nothing. Teach him.

A Junior—One who knows, but knows not that he knows. Awaken him.

A Senior—One who knows and knows that he knows. Follow him unto the end.

THE END.

"Are you a doctor?" she asked the young man, at the soda fountain.

"No, ma'am," he replied, "I'm a physician."

The skipper was examining an ambitious young-gob who wanted to be a gunners mate.

"How much does a six pound shell weigh?"

"don't know," the gob confessed.

"Well, what time does the twelve o'clock train leave?"

"Twelve o'clock."

"All right, then how much does a six pound shell weigh?"

"Ah!" said the youthful mariner, a great light dawning on him.

"Twelve pounds."

Answer as to what a planet is, in the General Science class. "A planet is a mass of rocks going through the air with such speed that it is red hot and has a fiery tail."

Famous Closing Lines.

"Depressed spirits," Muttered the hobo as he saw the wine run from the Grape press.

RIGHT LOCATION OF KITCHEN IN THE HOUSE SAVES STEPS.

Is your kitchen conveniently placed, with respect to the rest of the house especially pantry, dining room, cellar, and storeroom? The United States Department of Agriculture recommends that the distances between these rooms be as short as possible so as to save steps. Differences between floor level of kitchen and dining room, or kitchen and pantry, are sometimes necessary, but they waste time and strength and often cause serious accidents.

## WAS GLORIOUS CELEBRATION

ARMISTICE AND DISARMAMENT DAY FITTINGLY OBSERVED.

Military Orders and School Children Parade. Able Speakers Talk.

Just one.

Just one farmer has called for the valuable "Feeding hints for Dairy-men" that we have to give away.

Proper feeding of dairy cows is a quiet study. The above publication will be a big help to any keeper of cows.

Such accounts will show him what is worth speeding up and what should be dropped.

Just because we are farmers we can not do the necessity of bookkeeping in a simple way.

Lack of some bookkeeping is one thing that keeps some farmers where they are.

Going Merry On.

Testing soils of Crawford County farms is going merrily on.

The County Agent is hustling around with the new Farm Bureau Soil Tester which shows lime requirements of a field.

Line would help many a farm. Did you read what Farm Bureau Notes said recently about lime? Such knowledge is a necessary part of the equipment of a good farmer.

Grand Sight.

When Knecht Brothers showed us more than ten bushels of carefully selected seed corn, all carefully tied up in two ear touch, and where it will become bone dry before freezing, we will say it was a grand sight.

It is a token of the foresight, vision, and progressiveness of two good farmers.

Knecht Brothers test their seed corn in testing boxes. The field is a poor place to test it.

George Knecht states that some corn that looked bright and safe to sow could be the Knecht's well-cured for the very poor.

We wish every farmer in the county could see the Knecht's well-cured of field.

The sowed vetch, rye, and clover at last cultivation of corn and have a splendid catch of clover.

John Hanson removed over 1200 tons of corn from forty acres, and plowing the ground a measure.

A visit made us believe that his soil is in splendid condition and will continue to improve under his present system, which includes late fall plowing of manured sod.

Andrew Mortenson is not an inch behind the times. House, barn and silo are resplendent with two coats of paint.

Andrew took off a crop of rye this summer, planted the stubble, sowed to stock turning and covered with a splendid stand of clover, and probably a thousand bushels of turnips on several acres.

Better than quitting discouraged because his spring clover seedling failed. He said the "Detour" sign.

It would do you good to see that crop of crimson clover being turned into the soil on his farm for green manure. Detour.

Sigsbee Against the World.

Felthausen Brothers have been thrashing at Sigsbee and report splendid yields of grain, the largest being on the Wendt farm—Troyes Farm, where 24.45 bushels of buckwheat, and 21 bushels of rye per acre, was the average.

Four and one-half acres of corn on the Wendt farm yielded 327 bushels of corn with 15 acres yet to husk. This friendly strife to do better than the other fellow is good, and will (Continued to last page.)

## Farm Bureau Notes

R. D. BAILEY  
County Agricultural Agent

## ATTENTION ALL EX-SERVICE MEN

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# A Man for the Ages

A Story of the Builders of Democracy

By IRVING BACHELLER

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## CHAPTER XI—Continued.

One evening, that summer, Abe came out to the Traylor's with a letter in his hat for Sarah.

"How's business?" Samson asked.

"Going to peter out, I reckon," Abe answered with a sorrowful look. "I will leave me badly in debt. I want something that would give me a chance for study and I got it. By jing! It looks as if I was going to have years of study trying to get over it. Have you got any work to give me? You know I can split rails about as fast as the next man and I'll take my pay in wheat or corn."

"You may give me all the time you can spend outside the store," said Samson.

That evening they had a talk about the whisky business and its relation to the character of Elphaleth Biggs and to sundry infractions of law and order in their community. Samson had declared that it was wrong to sell liquor.

"All that kind of thing can be safely left to the common sense of our people," said Abe. "The remedy is education, not revolution. Slowly the people will have to set down all the items in the ledger of common sense that passes from sire to son. By and by some generation will strike a balance. That may not come in a hundred years. Soon or late the majority of the people will reach a reckoning with John Barleycorn. If there's too much against him they will not only by building a dam in front of it. They have opened an account with 'savery, too. By and by they'll decide its fate."

Such was his faith in the common folk of America, whose way of learning and whose love of the right he knew as no man has known it.

In this connection the New Englander wrote in his diary:

"He has spent his boyhood in the South and his young manhood in the North. He has studied the East and lived in the West. He is the people's friend, sometimes think and about as slow to make up his mind. As Isaiah says: 'He does not judge after the sight of his eyes, neither repulse after the hearing of his ears.' Abe has to think about it."

In April Abe wrote another address to the voters announcing that he was again a candidate for a seat in the legislature. Late that month Harry walked with him to Pappsville where a crowd had assembled to attend a public sale. At one place there were men in the crowd who knew Harry's record in the war. They called on him for a speech. He spoke on the need of the means of transportation in Summerson county with such insight and dignity that the audience hailed him as a coming man. Abe and he were often seen together those days.

In New Salem they were called the disappointed lovers. It was known there that Abe was very fond of Ann Rutledge, although he had not, as yet, openly confessed to any one—not even to Ann—there being no show of hope for him. Ann was deeply in love with John McNeill, the genial, handsome and successful young Irishman. The affair had reached the stage of frank-



The Girl Wept as If Her Heart Would Break.

ness, of an open discussion of plans, of fond affection expressing itself in caresses quite indifferent to ridicule. For Ann it had been like warm sunlight on the growing rose. She was better in dress, lovelier in form and color, more graceful in movement and sweeter-voiced than ever she had been. It is the old way that Nature has of preparing the young to come out upon the stage of real life and to act in its moving scenes. Abe manfully gave them his best wishes and when he spoke of Ann it was done very tenderly. The look of sadness which all had noted in his moments of abstraction, deepened and often covered his face with its veil. That in another way, for these the roses have fallen and only the thorns remain. They are not loved; they seem to be driven to make tasks, but for all, soon or late, the nature changes.

On a beautiful morning of June, when John McNeill left the village, Samson and Harry and Samson and Harry and Jack Kelso and his

doryard of the tavern when he rode away. He was going back to his home in the East to return in the autumn and make Ann his bride. The girl wept as if her heart would break when he turned far down the road and waved his hand to her.

"Oh, my pretty lass! Do you not hear the birds singing in the meadows?" said Jack Kelso. "Think of the happiness all around you and of the greater happiness that is coming when he returns. Shame on you!"

"I'm afraid he'll never come back," Ann sobbed.

"Nonsense! Don't get a maggot in your brain and let the crows go walking over your face. Come, we'll take a ride in the meadows and if I don't bring you back laughing you may call me no prophet."

So the event passed.

Harry traveled about with Abe a good deal that summer, "electroreeling," as they called it, from farm to farm. Abe used to go into the fields, with the men whose favor he sought, and bend his long back over a scythe or a cradle and race them playfully across the field of grain cutting a wider swath than any other and always holding the lead. Every man was out of breath at the end of his swath and needed a few minutes for recuperation. That gave Abe a chance for his statement of the county's needs and his plan of satisfying them. He had met and talked with a majority of the voters before the campaign ended in his election in August.

At odd times that summer he had been surveying a new road with Harry Needles for his helper. In September they resumed their work upon it in the vicinity of New Salem. Abe began to carry the letters in his hat again. Every day Ann was looking for him as he came by in the dim light of the early morning on his way to work.

"Anything for me?" she would ask.

"No mail in since I saw you, Ann," was the usual answer.

Often he would say: "I'm afraid not, but here—your take these letters and look through 'em and make sure." Ann would take them in her hands, trembling with eagerness and run in doors to the candlelight, and look them over. Always she came back with the little bundle of letters very slowly as if her disappointment were a heavy burden.

"There'll be one next mail if I have to write it myself," Abe said one morning in October as he went out.

To Harry Needles, who was with him that morning, he said:

"I wonder why that fellow don't write to Ann. I couldn't believe that he has been fooling her, but now I don't know what to think of him. I wonder what has happened to the fellow."

The mail stage was late that evening. As it had not come at nine Mr. Hill went home and left Abe in the store to wait for his mail. The stage arrived a few minutes later. Abe examined the little bundle of letters and newspapers which the driver had left with him. Then he took a paper and set down to read in the twilight. While he was thus engaged the door opened softly and Ann Rutledge entered. The postmaster who was not aware of her presence until she touched his arm.

"Please give me a letter," she said.

"Sit down, Ann," said he, very gently, as he placed a chair in the fire-glow.

She took it, turning toward him with a look of fear and hope. Then he added:

"I'm sorry, but the truth is it didn't come. It is terrible, Ann, that I have to help in this breaking of your heart that is going on. I seem to be the head of the hammer that hits you so hard, but the handle is in other hands. Honestly, Ann, I wish I could do the suffering for you every bit of it and give your poor heart a rest. Hasn't he written you this summer?"

"Not since July tenth," she answered. Then she confided to Abe that her lover told her before he went away that his name was not McNeill but McNamara; that he had changed his name to keep clear of his family until he had made a success; that he had gone East to get his father and mother and bring them back with him; lastly she came to the thing that worried her most—the suspicion of her father and mother that John was not honest. "They say that he probably had a wife when he came here—that that is why he don't write to me."

Then after a little silence she pleaded: "You don't think that, do you, Abe?"

"No," said the latter, giving her the advantage of every doubt. "John did a foolish thing, but we must not condemn him without a knowledge of the facts. The young often do foolish things and sickness would account for his silence. You go home and go to sleep and stop worrying, Ann. You'll get that letter one of these days."

A day or two later Abe and Harry went to Springfield. Their reason for the trip lay in a talk between the postmaster and Jack Kelso the night before as they sat by the latter's fire-side.

"I've been living where there was no one to find fault with my parts of speech or with the parts of my legs which were not decently covered," said Abe. "The sock district of my person has been without representation in the legislature of my intellect up to its last session. Then we got a bill through for local improvements and the governor has approved the appropriation. Suddenly we discovered that there was no money in the treasury. But Samson Traylor has

offered to buy an issue of bonds of the amount of fifteen dollars."

"I'm glad to hear you declare in favor of external improvements," said Kelso. "We've all been too much absorbed by internal improvements. You're on the right track, Abe. You've been thinking of the public ear and too little of the public eye. We must show some respect for both."

"Sometimes I think that comely dress ought to go with comely diction," said Abe. "But that's a thing you can't learn in books. There's no grammar of the language of dress. Then I'm so big and awkward. It's a rather hopeless problem."

"You're in good company," Kelso assured him. "Nature guards her best with some sort of singularity, not attractive to others. Often she makes them odious with conceit or deformity or dumbness or garrulity. Dante was such a poor talker that no one would ever ask him to dinner. If it had not been so I presume his muse would have been sadly crippled by indignation. If you had been a good dinner and a lady's favorite, I wonder if you would have studied Kirkham and Burns and Shakespeare and Blackstone and Starke, and the recluses of surviving and been elected to the legislature. I wonder if you could even have whipped Jack McNamara."

"Or have enjoyed the friendship of Bill Berry and acquired a national debt, or have saved my Imperial country in the war with Black Hawk," Abe laughed.

In the matter of dress the postmaster had great confidence in the taste and knowledge of his young friend, Harry Needles, whose neat appearance he had noticed.

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## THINKER'S LOT ONE OF JOY

But He Has to Travel a Long and Weary and Rough Road to Attain It.

Your education begins when what is called your education is over—which you no longer are straining together the pregnant thoughts, the "jewels of words," which great men have given their lives to put into the raw material, but have begun yourself to work upon the raw material for results which you do not see, cannot predict, and which may be long in coming, when you take the fact which life offers you for your appointed task.

No man has earned the right to intellectual ambition until he has learned to lay his course by a star which he has never seen—by the divine ideal for which he may never reach. In saying this, I point to that which will make your study heroic. For I say to you in all sadness of conviction—that to think great thoughts you must be heroes as well as idealists.

Only when you have worked alone—when you have felt around you a black gulf of solitude more isolating than that which surrounds the dying man, and in hope and in despair have trusted to your own unshaken will—then only will you have believed. Thus only can you gain the secret isolated joy of the thinker, who knows that, a hundred years after he is dead and forgotten, men who never heard of him will be moving to the measure of his thought—the subtle rapture of a postponed power, which the world knows not because it has no external trappings, but which to his prophetic vision is more real than that which commands an army.

And if this joy should not be yours—well! It is only this—that you know that you have done what it lay in you to do—can say that you have lived, and be ready for the end. From Collected Legal Papers by Oliver Wendell Holmes.

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en and Scotch plaid and red silk on his neck and a blue band on his hat and a smooth-shorn face and pertuery were the glittering details that surrounded the person of Eli.

"Come in," urged the genial proprietor of the Emporium. "I would like to show you my goods and introduce you to my brother."

In the men's department after much thoughtful discussion they decided upon a suit of blue jeans—that being the only goods which, in view of the amount of cloth required, came within the appropriation. Eli advised against it.

"You are like Eli already," he said. "You had got to pack off your back. Look at me. Don't you hear my clothes say something?"

"They are very eloquent," said Abe. "Well, they make a speech. They say 'Eli Fredenberg he is no more a poor devil.' You cannot sneeze at him once again. Nefer. He has climb de ladder up." Now you let me sell you something vat makes a good speech for you."

"If you let me dictate the speech I'll agree," said Abe.

"Well—vat is it?" Eli asked.

"I would like my clothes to say in a low tone of voice: 'This is humble Abraham Lincoln, about the same length and breadth that I am. He don't want to scare or astonish anybody. He don't want to look like a beggar or a millionaire. Just put him down for a hard-working man of good intentions who is badly in debt.'"

"That ended all argument. The suit of blue jeans was ordered and the measure taken. As they were about to go Eli said:

"I forgot to tell you that I had seen him. I had seen her on de street. She has been like a queen so grand! De hat and gown from Paris and she walk so proud! But she look not so happy like she used to be. I speak to her. Oh my, she was glad and so surprised! She told me that she would like to come for a visit but her husband he does not want her to go—nefer again. My jobber had told me that Mr. Biggs is git drunk every day. Him she think de place is good."

"Your child!" said Abe. "I'm afraid she's in trouble. Her parents have been so used to her that something is amiss. They have never been invited to go down there and visit the girl. I reckon you'd better say nothing to any one of what we have heard, at present."

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Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

MARY GRAHAM BONNER

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## EAGLE'S THANKSGIVING.

"Of course," said Daddy Bald Eagle, "Thanksgiving Day is a day when the turkey is shown a great honor. But I would like to have something to say for Thanksgiving Day, too."

"The turkey is chosen as the best and chief food for that day, as he is for Christmas Day, too."

"It is very right and proper that he should be chosen. But I would like to have something to say, as I have just remarked, for Thanksgiving Day. 'Thanksgiving Day is a day when people are thankful. They are thankful for their homes, thankful for their country, thankful they belong to their country and that they have so many blessings.'"

"And the Eagle would like to say he is thankful, too."

"Yes, I would like to say how thankful I am that I am chosen as the national emblem of the United States. I would like to say that I will never cease to be thankful that this honor has been shown to my family."

"We are glad when the Fourth of July comes, glad that that day means so much to the country means something to us, too. For we wouldn't have been chosen as the National Bird if the nation hadn't come into existence."

"And so, now that Thanksgiving Day is about to come, I'd like to add a word and say how thankful I am. Yes, I'd like to say how very thankful the whole family is to have had this honor."

"We are called the Bald Eagles because our heads are white. The young eagles don't have white heads. It is not until we become several years old that we have white heads and white tails."

"The young eagles have coloring much like the coloring of the Golden Eagles, who are our cousins, though our young eagles are blonder in color, and their legs are bare down by their feet."

"We live on ducks and geese, and fish, too. Sometimes we take the fish."

"In the Tops."

away from the Osprey family, and sometimes we catch the fish ourselves.

"Yes, we can be seen flying with our markings in our heads. 'These are the ways of the Bald Eagles. But we have more to tell about ourselves."

"Many may know all we have to tell, but for those who don't know, we want to say a few things."

"We have good eyesight, and we fly high in the air."

"We make our nests of big sticks, and we usually have them in the tops of very, very, very high trees, for we love great heights."

"The mother eagles usually lay two beautiful white eggs, which later become beautiful eagle children."

"But, oh eagles, all of you, think of the honor that has been shown you. You cannot think of it too much. And don't think of it only on the Fourth of July, though that is a fine day to think of it, too. Think of it all the time, of course."

"But give a special thought to the honor that has been shown you on Thanksgiving Day. I don't mean the honor has been given to you on Thanksgiving Day."

"But I mean it is a good idea for you to think of the honor on Thanksgiving Day."

"For on that day all creatures think of their blessings, and surely no creature has a greater blessing to think of than has Daddy Bald Eagle and his family."

"Thanksgiving Day! The day upon which we give thanks. Let all the eagles give thanks too, upon this day, because they are the birds of freedom and are the birds of a country that is free."

"No greater honor has ever been shown any bird. Be thankful, eagles! That is what I have to say."

"Yes, give thanks upon Thanksgiving Day, as everyone will do, and as old Daddy Bald Eagle will do too."

"And it will not be hard to give thanks, for we have so much about which to give thanks."

"Thanksgiving Day! Yes, the Eagles are thankful, too! And they will think of their blessings!"

Little Edwin—Mamma, I guess the man who made my geography was color blind.

Mamma—Why do you think so, dear?

Little Edwin—"Cause he's got Greenland painted yellow."

Thinking of Home.

A little lad of nine on entering one of our large fever hospitals was noticed by the nurse to be crying bitterly. She, trying to find out the cause of his tears, said: "Well, sonny, why are you crying so?"

The little lad, between his sobs, replied: "I am not crying, nurse, but me eyes are watering when I think of home."

Best Report of Fire.

Where can you find the best report of a fire? A powder magazine.

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## WOOD FAMINE SURELY AHEAD

Measures That Alone Could Have Prevented Have Been Too Long Delayed, Says Expert.

The cost of wood may fluctuate, but the general direction of the prices for wood products is bound to rise, and the movement will gain tremendous impetus a few years hence. There is going to be a wood famine in this country and little can be done to prevent it. We have planted too long. Much can be done, however, to alleviate and shorten its duration. Forest protection is one of the prophylactics. Out of 822,000,000 acres of virgin forests we have 137,000,000 left. We are cutting this remainder at the rate of 5,500,000 acres yearly. In 25 to 30 years our supply of virgin timber will be exhausted. This means that the cutting of trees can be grown. In five years ending 1920 there were 100,000 forest fires in the United States which did damage amounting to more than \$55,000,000. Forest fires have caused an annual loss of about 70 billion feet of timber. To say nothing of stocks, crops, buildings and improvements. O. A. Wiegman in the Thrift Magazine.

## SHE DYED A SWEATER, SKIRT AND CHILD'S COAT

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## MIGHT HAVE PUT IT BETTER

Evidently Mr. Pea Was Not Deeply Versed in the Gentils Art of Diplomacy.

Secretary Conrad Jumps of the Swiss embassy at a dinner was talking about diplomacy.

"A good many diplomats," he said, "are about as diplomatic as old Mr. Pea."

"Mr. Pea was a village character who stuttered. There was a political meeting in the village one evening, and among the speakers was a certain Cue."

"Well, at the end of the meeting there was a kind of a reception, and Cue, the most important orator of the occasion, was introduced to the stuttering old villager."

"Mr. Pea shook the orator's hand, and stuttered:

"Glad to meet you. I let's see, you were one of the speakers, weren't you?"

"Yes, I was," said Cue.

"Well, say," said old Pea, "wasn't them other fellows good?"

The Engine's Ears.

Mr. Smith was a commercial traveler, and only came home once in a while. On one of these he was telling his five-year-old son all about his wanderings. "And then I came home," he finished.

"And did you come home in a train, daddy?" asked Johnny.

"Yes, sonny."

"And did you see the ears of the engine?"

"Of course not," laughed Daddy.

"Engines don't have ears."

"Oh, yes they do," persisted the small boy. "Haven't you ever heard of the engineers, daddy?"—London Tit-Bits.

Maybe She Helped a Little.

"What do you mean by kissing me?" "I'm sorry, I just couldn't help myself." "But you just did."

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**A Contradiction.** — Witness—He looked me straight in the eyes and—  
Lawyer—There, sir, you've flatly contradicted your former statement.

**Witness—How is that?**  
Lawyer—You said before that he bent his gaze on you. Will you please explain how he could look you straight in the eye with a bent gaze? —Edinburgh Scotsman.

**Traveling Hint.** — If there are bottles to go in your bag or trunk and you fear the corks will come out, heat your sealing wax in a flame and run the melted part around the cork where it meets the glass. Thus it will be held in tightly, and only a smart twist is necessary to remove it when you arrive at your destination.

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**Individualism.**  
You can give other people your advice, but you can not give them your experience. You can give them your remedy, but you can by no means give them its effect upon yourself. Perhaps this is just as well, since each is to live his individual life and make his own best achievement out of it. The man with the ten talents could probably have taken care of those of his fellow-servants as well—then there would have been no loss, but also there would have been no use for the other servants.

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### Resurrection Flower.

In Egypt is a plant called the resurrection flower. It is seen as a little ball hanging on a fragile stem, resembling in color and shape a shrunk poppyhead. Sleeping, but not dead, the flowers are aroused by being immersed in water, and then supported in an upright position. Soon the fibers begin to stir. Slowly they unfold, until, with petals thrown back, it becomes a beautiful starry flower, no unlike an aster.

### Yolk Pigment.

It is reported that a chemist abroad has succeeded in isolating the yellow pigment of the yolk of egg in a crystalline state, and finds that it is closely related to the xanthophyll of leaves. This is regarded as an important scientific discovery. To extract four grains of crude pigment the investigator employed the yolks of no less than 6,000 eggs. The crystallized pigment is known as lutein.

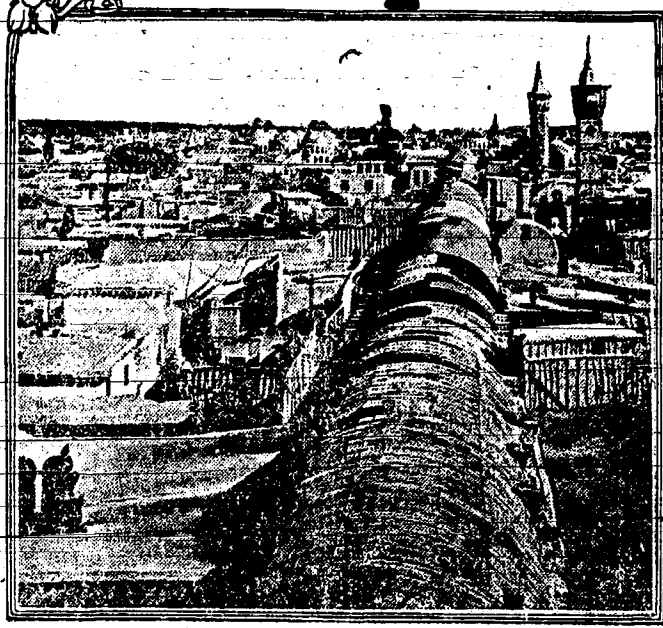
### Pleased With Begging Letters.

When the old slush of Persia visited England in 1873, some 6,000 begging letters were posted to him during his sojourn. He was much pleased with them and returned highly honored to receive so many letters, each of which he treated as a compliment. He had all of them securely packed into a trunk and dispatched to Persia, where they were deposited in his museum.

### Transporting Power of Water.

The transporting power of flowing water varies as the sixth power of the velocity. Thus if the velocity of the water is doubled, its transporting power is increased 64 fold. This explains the effect of a river in flood in carrying all things before it.

## OLDEST LIVING CITY



Roof of the "Straight" Street in Damascus.

(Prepared by the National Geographic Society, Washington, D. C.)

When France obtained the mandate for Syria after the World war, she felt that to what is reputed to be the oldest "living" city in the world—Damascus. Nearly 4,000 years ago the writer of Genesis mentioned this old city, and spoke of it as a place of note. It existed when the Pharaohs ruled over Egypt; it probably saw Babylon rise, and certainly it saw that proud city fall. And it has lived as other world-famous places about it have passed into oblivion or lost their glory: Memphis, Thebes, Nineveh, Sardis, Tyre, Sidon, Jerusalem, Susa, Ephesus—a long procession of mighty cities.

Situated at the head of Arabia, near the east end of the Mediterranean and on the land route between Egypt and the rest of Africa on one hand, and Asia and Europe on the other, Damascus occupied a position in which it could not avoid importance. With the establishment of Mohammedanism, it took on increased importance as the assembling point for the final long crossing of the desert sands to holy Mecca. And when it is added that the city is encompassed by a fertile plain through which flows an abundance of water, its early consequence, its vitality and its long life can easily be understood. It is set in the oasis of oases, a grove more than 50 miles in circuit of nut and fruit trees interspersed with gardens of vegetables. No wonder the Bedouins from the sandy stretches of Arabia and Syria called it "the pearl of the desert!"

In recent times Damascus was the second city in Turkey, being surpassed in size and importance only by Constantinople. Now Aleppo, also in old Turkish territory, and since the war, a part, too, of French Syria, has about overtaken Damascus in size. But Damascus' hoary traditions will long give it first place in the hearts of the East.

### Fascination of Its Streets.

Damascus is the rendezvous of peoples from all parts of the Mohammedan world. One cannot be long on its streets without being interested in the motley crowd of humanity that swarm through them, and in spite of creed and nationality, manage to keep sweet temper. The Syrian sun-burnt sun, of the desert without even a word of scorn or anger; the Mohammedan, shoulder the Jew as if they were brothers in the faith; the spotted visitor from the Occident justifies the not-any-too-clean peasant from the surrounding villages, while Persians, Moors, Afghans, Indians, Egyptians, Sudanese, and others from many parts of the globe hurry along, all intent on something of importance that has brought them to this metropolis of the Orient.

On the streets are to be seen vendors of almost everything under the sun, especially in the way of eatables, and to those who are familiar with the value of the goods offered for sale, the words of the native visitor are plain when he informs you that "in Damascus you can sup or breakfast for nothing," because of the little cost of food.

On the same street, within a few yards of each other, may be seen the vendor of cucumbers with his wares fresh from the garden, exposed on a donkey's back (when the load was sold in pre-war days, it brought between 20 and 30 cents); the bread seller with his warm cakes of bread on a tray resting on a stand ready to supply the hungry with a good-sized loaf for a cent, and the vendor of milk, who for another cent will give you a large basin of sweetened milk in which to soak your loaf. At different seasons you may find well at little cost of melons, grapes, apricots, plums, peaches, apples, oranges, figs, etc., all the products of the gardens and orchards around the city.

All Due to the River Barada.

But some will ask whence comes all this abundance, for in no other part of Syria or Palestine is there such a profusion of fruit and vegetables at such low prices. The cause is the

abundant water supply provided by the ever-flowing and life-producing river Barada, the Ajana of the Bible.

Just some miles northwest of the city, the river is conducted to all parts of Damascus through thousands of channels. It is also tapped to irrigate the gardens, orchards, and fields outside the city that are constantly under cultivation to supply the needs of the inhabitants.

There are many pleasant spots by the river's side, whither the Damascenes resort after the work and business of the day to pass an hour over the coffee cup or the ever-abundant water pipe as they talk over the news of the day or the doings of the outer world as revealed to them through the Arabic or Turkish papers.

Would you investigate closer some of the most primitive and interesting doings of the Damascenes, turn aside to the place where the famous Damascus curtains are made, and there in semidarkness you will find dozens of hands and men engaged in weaving these requisites of the home on the most primitive of looms, and yet they are able to produce an article that will compete with anything from the most complete and up-to-date factory in Europe.

Or, would you see how thousands of bushels of flour and measures of oil are produced, you have only to turn aside into one of the many mills to see that instead of steam the patient camel is used to turn the mill whose stones crush the grain or bruise the berries or seeds from which different oils are extracted. Some will say, primitive, indeed; but the Damascenes reply would be that it is effective and inexpensive, and, where time is of little object, these are important items.

### Views From a Minaret.

But the sights of Damascus are not all on the streets. For a good view of the city itself one must get the favor of a minaret keeper, and have his permission to climb to the gallery of the minaret and from there look out over the roofs, courts, towers, and streets of the city below. He said to the credit of the Damascenes that, although he is a faithful follower of the "desert prophet," the fanaticism is absent in him.

An interesting outlook of the city is obtained from a minaret near the west end of "the street called Straight." From this position one immediately appreciates how well that ancient thoroughfare deserves its name, for it runs in a direct line across the city from west to east for about one and a half mile. This street, which is a road in, still bears the same name as in the days of the Apostles.

The principal attraction of the city is the great mosque, which is located in the heart of the busy capital and can only be reached through one of its many populous streets. This spot, which was a resort for worship, rebuilt, early in the Twentieth century, the funds being contributed from all parts of the Moslem world, for in 1893 the edifice had been almost entirely destroyed by fire.

The mosque has had a varied experience, being at one time a heathen temple, then a Christian church, then held jointly by the Mohammedans and Christians and used as church and mosque at the same time; but since the Eighth century the Mohammedans have had the sole use of it for their own purposes.

In the mosque is the reputed tomb of John the Baptist's head, a shrine respected alike by Mohammedans and Christians. The local tradition says that after the execution of the Messiah's forerunner his head was sent to Damascus, then the capital of the district over which Herod had jurisdiction, so that his superior officer might see that the deed had really been done and the supposed inciter to rebellion disposed of. When the Sarsen conqueror Khalid captured Damascus and was searching the church for treasure, he came across this revered relic and caused it to be interred and covered by a fine structure.

### Rifles Doomed Sea Otter

When the natives of Alaska were given rifles, the sea otter's fate was sealed, for the noise of the surf and the distance from which the hunter could aim made it easy to kill them. Then it was only a question of waiting till the body was washed ashore. Long ago the natives caught them with nets of sinew spread on the kelp beds, for the otter would die of fright when caught, instead of gnawing out, as the

sea does. They become so desperate when chased that the natives say they sometimes jam themselves into crevices of the rocks beneath the ocean, never to rise. The orthodox Alaskan way of hunting them is by the "peep surround," when many hunters in canoes form a great circle around the spot in the sea where an otter has been seen, wait for it to rise (which it must do, for air within half an hour), then frighten it under so quickly, every time it shows its head, that at last it drowns.

## DAIRY FACTS

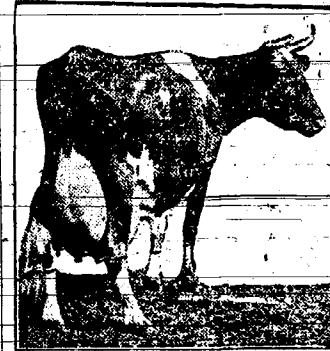
### RECORDS OF GREAT BENEFIT

Much Valuable Information on Relations Between Milk and Butterfat Production.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Tabulation of the yearly records of 38,532 cow-testing association cows has brought to light much valuable information on the relations between milk and butterfat production, butterfat test, income over cost of feed, and other factors, say specialists of the United States Department of Agriculture. The average milk production per cow was 5,880 pounds; butterfat, 240 pounds; butterfat test, 4.11 per cent; income over cost of feed, \$56.69; returns for \$1 expended for feed, \$2.11.

The records show that in those associations where the work has been continued for a long period the production has generally increased from



Fall Freshened Cows Produce More Milk and Butterfat Than Those Freshened in Spring or Summer.

Year to year. As production increased, the income over cost of feed increased rapidly, and for each increase of 50 pounds in butterfat there was an increase of \$15 in income over cost of feed.

Cows that freshened in the fall produced more milk and butterfat and greater average income over cost of feed than those which freshened in the spring or summer. Large cows excelled small cows of the same breed in production of milk and butterfat and in income over cost of feed. As the butterfat test increased, the average production of butterfat advanced, and the average production of milk declined.

These records also indicate that cows remain in the herd an average of about 4.7 years.

**BETTER STOCK CAMPAIGN AID**  
Poster issued by Department of Agriculture illustrates Value of Good Dairy Cows.

"For the Children's Sake" is the title of an attractive poster just issued by the United States Department of Agriculture, to be used in its better stock campaign. The poster shows two cows, each surrounded by pictures of healthy children. Good milk, it is well known, is a health-giving food for children, but scrub cows do not give enough milk to feed many children. One of the animals shown on the poster is a scrub cow which produced about five quarts of milk a day—enough to supply the five children who are grouped about her. The other cow is a purebred, which gave a daily yield of 20 quarts—enough to feed the 20 children surrounding her.

"A good dairy cow," says the poster, "produces enough to feed about twenty children a quart of milk a day. An ordinary cow produces enough to feed about five children a quart a day. Every quart of milk contains health and a smile for some baby."

**CORN ALONE FOR MILK COWS**  
It Can Be Used to Better Advantage With Such Feeds as Bran, Meal and Legumes.

With well-filled corn cribs on many farms, and relatively low prices now in effect, the United States Department of Agriculture believes it is time to correct the impression that corn is a good feed for milk cows. Of course, corn cannot be fed alone, as its function is to supply heat, energy, and fat, rather than such elements as make up bone, muscle and the casein in milk. But it can be used to advantage along with such feeds as bran, linseed, meal or cottonseed meal. Bran lightens and helps to balance the ration. Alfalfa or clover is usually fed with corn to supply protein.

**COW IS EFFICIENT MACHINE**  
Animal of Big Value in Converting Farm-Grown Feeds into High-Priced Products.

The dairy cow, of all farm animals, is our most efficient machine for converting farm-grown feeds into concentrated, high-priced food products, and therefore is entitled to the heat of care. She is thin in flesh and naturally more susceptible to cold than most other classes of farm stock. If she is compelled to fortify herself against cold, snow, sleet and rain, the most of course, convert a greater proportion of her feed into heat with which to keep up body temperature, and as a result she becomes less efficient for milk production.

**Dehorned Cattle Best.**  
Dehorned cattle pay better returns, but slaughtering with horns can still be more humane and pays still better profits. Breeders would do well to unite in the production of polled cattle only.

**Avoid Over-Feeding.**  
Calves are always greedy, and for this reason over-feeding should be avoided. This is true particularly when alfalfa is being fed, as it is exceedingly palatable, and the animal is apt to gorge.

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**Nature's Police Force.**  
The following excerpt from Fabre's "The Story Book of the Field," gives a little insight into the many beneficial uses of the commoner field animals: "The bats deliver us from a host of enemies, and they are outlawed. The mole purges the ground of vermin; the hedgehog makes war on vipers; the owl and all night birds are clever rat hunters; the adder, the toad and the lizard feed on the plunderers of our crops." Thus nature supplies the husbandman with an efficient police force. —Brooklyn Eagle.

**Freedom's Beginning.**  
The free institutions of ancient Greece and Rome had long been dead when our Anglo-Saxon forefathers, in the little island in the North sea, began building their wigwagons, or assembly of the wise men of the kingdom. In the early days of the Normans, when feudalism was in flower, national affairs were dealt with by a national council, composed of the high officers of state and feudal barons, and presided over by the king—Monarch Family Herald.

**Cuticura for Sore Hands.**  
Soak hands on retiring in the hot suds of Cuticura Soap, dry and rub in Cuticura Ointment. Remove surplus Ointment with tissue paper. This is only one of the things Cuticura will do if Soap, Ointment and Talcum are used for all toilet purposes. Advertisement.

**Ashanti Rich With Mahogany.**  
It is estimated that the gold coast and Ashanti could supply over 60,000 logs of mahogany and cedar a year if the internal communications were better.

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**RATS AND MICE**  
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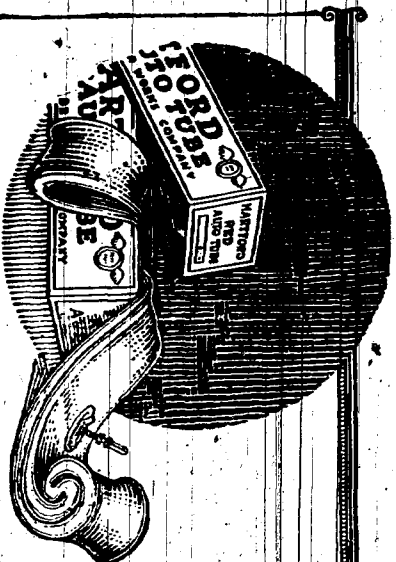
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### PARENTS AS EDUCATORS

(By Nella Gardner White)

The child's first school is the family. The child's first teacher is the mother. The child's first lesson is the lesson of the home. The child's first habit is the habit of the home. The child's first character is the character of the home. The child's first life is the life of the home. The child's first death is the death of the home. The child's first resurrection is the resurrection of the home. The child's first kingdom is the kingdom of the home. The child's first empire is the empire of the home. The child's first nation is the nation of the home. The child's first state is the state of the home. The child's first city is the city of the home. The child's first town is the town of the home. The child's first village is the village of the home. The child's first hamlet is the hamlet of the home. The child's first settlement is the settlement of the home. The child's first colony is the colony of the home. The child's first province is the province of the home. The child's first territory is the territory of the home. The child's first district is the district of the home. The child's first county is the county of the home. The child's first state is the state of the home. The child's first nation is the nation of the home. The child's first empire is the empire of the home. The child's first kingdom is the kingdom of the home. The child's first life is the life of the home. The child's first death is the death of the home. The child's first resurrection is the resurrection of the home. The child's first kingdom is the kingdom of the home. The child's first life is the life of the home. The child's first death is the death of the home. The child's first resurrection is the resurrection of the home.



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### LOCAL NEWS

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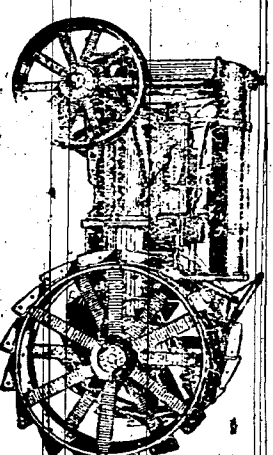
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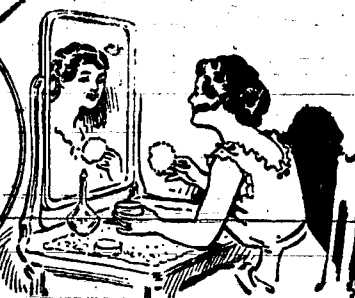


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## LOCAL NEWS

THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 17, 1921.

The Woman's club met at the home of Mrs. E. A. Mason Monday night.

Mrs. Marius Hanson and Miss Lucille are spending the week in Detroit.

Mrs. Alonzo Snyder and little daughter of Detroit are visiting relatives in Grayling.

Messrs. Harold Schmidt and Howard Ayette visited friends in Grayling over Sunday.

Mrs. Herman Doroh left Sunday night for Port Hope, Mich. to attend the funeral of a brother.

James Bowen was on a deer hunting trip near Newberry. He returned this morning having filled his license.

Rasmus Hanson returned Tuesday from Detroit, where he had been on business since Friday of last week.

Mrs. Lucile Hagle and little daughter of Grayling are spending the week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Dally.

Our designs in Armstrong's printed linoleum make bright, cheerful floors for bedroom, dining room or kitchen. Sorenson Bros.

Lois and Carlton Menzies of Gaylord called on Miss Janice Bailey last Saturday.

Mrs. A. M. Lewis returned last Friday from a week's visit in Bay City, where she was the guest of Mrs. J. T. Lamb.

The Old Mill of the Salling, Hanson Company, that has been closed down since June 23rd resumed operations Saturday.

Miss Laura Thompson spent the week-end at her home in Twining, entertaining Miss Rose, Gunville, who accompanied her home.

Miss Theresa Anderson, who had been the guest of Mrs. James Bowen for two weeks returned Saturday night to her home in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Brown returned home Monday from Bay City after a visit with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodruff.

Mrs. Roy Billings, who has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. Carl Englund for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Bay City Tuesday.

Regular meeting of Grayling Post 106, American Legion will be held next Monday evening in the I. O. O. F. Temple. There are two candidates for initiation.

19 cents buys a nicely decorated cream pitcher; 50 cents a sugar and cream set at our store this week. All big reductions in white dinner ware. Sorenson Bros.

Miss Mildred Bunting of Milford was the guest of Miss Anne Walton and other friends, from Friday until Monday.

Eshern Hanson returned Wednesday from a business trip to Detroit. Mrs. Hanson is spending several days in that city.

John H. Cook and son Holger expect to spend Thanksgiving in Detroit with Miss Matilda Cook, who is employed in that city as book-keeper for some manufacturing concern.

Herman Shields and John Glaeser visited in Grayling Tuesday. On their return O. A. Hiltin accompanied them to Gaylord to visit his parents Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Van Doran.

Word was received of the illness of little Madonna Cariveau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Cariveau of Jackson who is ill with scarlet fever. They were former residents of Grayling.

Miss Fernie Armstrong, who has been confined to her home with typhoid fever for several weeks is able to be out again. Her friends will be glad to know that she is making such a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar W. Hanson entertained a few of their friends at a dinner party Friday evening. Bridge was enjoyed after dinner. Mrs. E. W. Behlke and R. H. Gillett holding the highest scores.

Mrs. C. B. Johnson visited her sister, Mrs. B. Peter Johnson in Frederic last Thursday. The latter lady had just returned from Harper Hospital, Detroit, where she had been undergoing medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilhelm Raue of Johannesburg visited at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Nelson over Sunday. Also Miss Clara Nelson visited at the parental home the week-end coming Friday.

Miss Margaret Hemmingson, who has been a most faithful employee of the Simpson Company, has resigned for the past nine years, has resigned and accepted the position of book-keeper in the office of the Kerry & Hanson Flooring company to succeed Mrs. Minnie Nelson Roberts. Miss Hemmingson began her duties Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bebb held a family reunion at their home last Friday. Mr. and Mrs. Roy Davis and daughter Bernice and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Seelye and daughter Violet of Bay City.

Miss Edna Bebb who is employed in Bay City was unable to get home for the affair.

The Mistletoe Five Hundred club was organized Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. P. P. Mahoney. There were eight ladies present and Mrs. E. W. Dawson held the highest score.

Miss Donna Lockoff received the consolation prize. Light refreshments were served. The club will meet on Wednesday evening of each week. Mrs. B. J. Conklin will entertain next Wednesday evening.

A number of little folks were guests of Miss Camilla Hunn Tuesday afternoon from four to six o'clock. Camilla's teacher, Miss Hertzler and the Misses Lockoff and Boddy were also invited. A large birthday cake adorned the table and at each place the guests found tiny ping baskets filled with candies, and also each one received a large stick of candy. Camilla was the recipient of many pretty gifts.

The Ladies Aid society of Michelson Memorial church held their annual fair and supper Wednesday afternoon and evening. A good time was enjoyed. People responded very liberally. The many attractive booths were filled with articles that had a ready sale for Christmas, etc. There were rug, apron, farm produce, fish pond, baby, candy, basket, fancy work, bake goods and gift booths, and every one netted the society a neat sum. The total receipts with the supper being \$452.00.

Some of the teachers report an unusual amount of tardiness among the pupils. To always be on time is a most commendable characteristic. Often times by being late one wastes the time of many. Children should take pride in being in school on time every day, and if they do not do so of their own volition, then the parents should see to it that the child is gotten to the school on time. The child should be impressed with the idea of never being late again.

The story is told of one Detroit hunter who intended to go to the Upper Peninsula where he thought there would be plenty of snow, but when the big snow storm came in his home city covering the ground to the depth of about 12 inches, he concluded that there must be plenty of snow in Grayling. Therefore he snipped his camping outfit to this city and when he arrived he found that he had no snow. However he concluded to stay and a few days later was awarded with a light covering, just enough to make tracking possible.

Last Saturday evening the Milne Medicine company held a baby show in connection with their regular evening's entertainment, the prettiest baby being awarded the prize of ten dollars. The contest was a tie between little Miss Nina Lovely, 8 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lovely and Gertrude Jean, the six months old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Chris Hoell. However the prize was split between the two children each one receiving five dollars. Last evening a women's nail driving contest was held. Mrs. George Davis receiving the prize of \$5.00 for driving six nails in the shortest time.

The first deer to be killed upon the opening of the hunting season last week Thursday, so far as we have been able to find out, was one by George Cotten. He had his license filled by 7:00 o'clock a. m. on the first day in the morning and walked around the south side of Lake Margrothe to a place near the Manistee river. He carried his breakfast with him and had just finished his report of hot coffee and sandwiches when he looked up and saw a fine large buck deep in the brush and coming in his direction. He fired at once, hitting the deer which took effect, and soon was ready to tie his tag on the animal. It was a fine specimen and, in his judgment, would weigh about 250 pounds.

For the common everyday life of mankind there is nothing so equal to a lac. A. M. Lewis, Druggist.

There is no sewing machine that equals the Singer. Come around and let me demonstrate them. Thos. Cassidy, Agent.

Mrs. John Zeder is in Mercy Hospital in Bay City recuperating from an operation that she underwent last Monday. She is reported to be getting along nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Richardson of Marion have come to spend the winter in the home of their daughter, Mrs. Cameron J. Game and family. They arrived the latter part of the week.

Walter Hemmingson of Detroit, son of Christ Hemmingson, with his brothers, William and Harry and Walter Shaw have been camping in the wilds and enjoying the hunting. The former was the only one who bagged a deer during the trip.

Miss Angela Amborski was in Gaylord Saturday attending the funeral of her uncle, Frank Borowick, who died of typhoid fever. Mrs. Borowick, wife of the deceased man is at Mercy Hospital suffering with the same disease, being brought from Gaylord the latter part of the week.

Don't forget that auto insurance. Many policies are expiring at this time of year and need renewal. We write auto insurance in the U. S. Mutual Automobile Insurance company that gives complete coverage at less cost than any other agency. \$1 per horsepower plus \$1. Minimum \$26.00. You can't beat it. All autos of 25 or less horsepower cost you but \$26, and it covers you for a whole year. Fire, theft, personal injury and all.

G. P. Schumann, Agent.

Adolph Peterson, who is employed at the duPont plant, had the misfortune to have his left leg badly injured by steam Monday noon. He had his Ford auto parked along side of a steam pipe that projects from one of the buildings and as he went to step into his auto he stepped on the pipe, opening the vent and in so doing his leg was caught between the pipe and the auto. The injured leg was immediately brought to the offices of Dr. Keyport & Howell where the burns were cared for and later was taken to his home. He is confined to his bed and no doubt will be laid up for a long time as the result of the accident.

## Niederer-Skinner.

Miss Lela Skinner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jay Skinner was united in marriage to Mr. Fred Niederer, Thursday evening, of last week. Rev. C. M. Doty performed the ceremony at the parsonage of the Michelson Memorial church. Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Brandt, the father of the bride, presided at the ceremony. The bride looked very pretty in ivory blue messaline trimmed with old rose satin. She wore a corsage bouquet of pink and white carnations. After the ceremony a supper was served at the home of the bride's parents to the members of the family and a few friends.

For the past three years the bride has been employed as clerk in the South Side grocery, where she has always been found to be most obliging and courteous to its customers.

The groom is the youngest son of John J. Niederer and was born in Grayling, at present he is attending his home with Mrs. Niederer's sister, Mrs. Brady, but expect to go to housekeeping soon. They have the best wishes of their many friends.

PIONEER NORTHERN MICHIGAN MAN HEAD AT OTSEGO LAKE.

Charles S. Brink, passed away at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKim at Otsego Lake, Sunday morning at 6:30 o'clock. He was 18 years of age at the time of his death. Mr. Brink is given credit of having been the first white man to blaze a trail thru the woods of this region of Michigan. He came here from Port Huron when he was a young man and spent his time prospecting for timber and for navigable rivers for floating the logs to the mills. Practically all the vast tract of timber about Otsego Lake was cruised by Mr. Brink and after cutting was floated down the North Branch of the Ausable down to Ausable on Lake Huron. After finishing his services in the lumber business he built the Otsego Lake hotel. This he conducted until it burned in 1908. Since that time he has lead a retired life and made his home with Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McKim.

The funeral was held from the McKim home Wednesday. It was attended by a large number of people, representing men and women from every walk in life. Mr. Brink was a wonderful man in many ways. He built the first dams on the Ausable rivers and was well known among lumbermen of the state. He was a devoted reader and up to the time of his death he was able to read his newspaper without glasses. He has visited Grayling many times and only about a month ago was a guest here of E. J. Richards. The latter was in attendance at the funeral.

## HOW DO YOU SAY IT?

By C. N. Lurie

Common Errors in English and How to Avoid Them

## TO "ENTHUSE"

THE verb "enthuse" or "enthusiasm over" used frequently in recent years, and especially in newspaper headlines (its shortness giving the hurried headline writer a word easily substituted for one whose meaning is "over") is not good English. In deed, some writers go so far as to call it a vulgarity. One authority says, "The word is unknown to good usage."

The word, like many others of recent growth, may become in time part of the English language, and be recognized as good English. But it has no historical or etymological authority, and should be avoided by anyone who wishes to speak and write correctly. It is the duty of all who have inherited the English language to try, at least, to preserve its purity.

One should not say, "She does not enthuse me," or "she does not enthuse." For these, substitute "She does not arouse any enthusiasm in me," and "She is not enthusiastic."

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100 pairs Men's Brown Calf Shoes on English last. Several styles at the following sale prices:

\$8.50 and \$7.50 values for

**\$5.25**

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1 lot of Brown Shoes at

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These are all solid leather, Welt sole, stylish lasts, and are good values at the regular prices.

## Boys High Top Shoes

Great for this weather

**\$3.00 and up**

## BOYS MACKINAW

A big selection of warm coats at prices that will surprise you.

## Special Values in Ladies Coats and Suits

Extraordinary Values at \$25-\$30-\$35

# Grayling Mercantile Co.

THE QUALITY STORE

## HELD FOR SPEECH ON BIRTH

Woman Writer Denies Police and Addresses Big Crowd.

New York—Mrs. Margaret Sanger, well known writer, and Miss Mary Winslow of Philadelphia, were arrested Sunday after they were alleged to have defied the police by addressing a mass meeting in town hall in the interests of birth control. The police broke up the meeting.

The two women were taken to the West Forty-Seventh street police station where technical charges of disorderly conduct were made against them. A crowd of several thousand persons followed them to the station house, many of them hissing and jeering the police, and it was necessary to call out the reserves to disperse them.

3 GLENDOLA FARMERS INDICTED

Face Trial in Indiana for Part in Tar and Feather Party.

Niles, Mich.—George Paul, Richard Rayback and Claude Blackmun, Glendola farmers, were arrested Nov. 14 on indictments returned by a South Bend Indiana, grand jury in connection with the tar and feathering of John Krieger, Glendola farmer, last August.

Krieger was taken across the Indiana and Michigan state line and left in the woods near Hamilton, Indiana. The three men waived extradition and furnished bonds of \$3,000 each to the Indiana authorities for appearance.

HARDING SIGNS GERMAN PACT

President Declares War Formally Ended On July 2, 1921.

Washington—Peace between the United States and Germany was proclaimed formally Nov. 14 by President Harding.

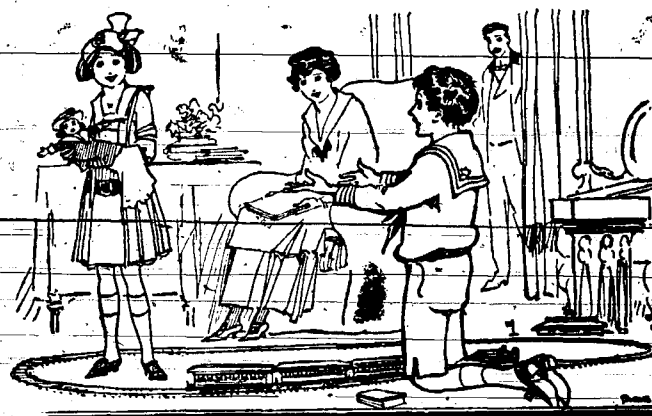
The president in a proclamation signed at 3:52 p. m. declared the state of war between the United States and Germany, existing from April 6, 1917, to have terminated in fact July 2, 1921, when the joint peace resolution of congress was approved by the senate.

APPRECIATION.

We wish to extend our thanks, to the Citizens' Band, L. N. L. W. R. C., Red Cross, Boy Scouts and school children, Supt. Smith, Mr. M. Hanson, Mr. Bates, Dr. Keyport, Rev. Doty, Rev. Fr. Bosler, Mrs. Milnes and Miss Abbott for their assistance in making the Armistice Day celebration the success it was. Again we thank you.

American Legion Post 106.

Banish that awful insomnia that worries you every night. Let your sleep be restful and refreshing. Tan-lac does it. A. M. Lewis, Druggist.



## Those Children of Yours

Are you sitting down with them regularly and teaching them the principles of uprightness, honesty and fair play? Instruction in religion is excluded from most public schools. Unless you take your children to Sunday school they may not learn the truths your mother taught you.

## Start the Children Right

Give your boy and girl the best start in life possible. Take them to church and Sunday school. Lessons learned in youth will never leave them. If you are not connected with another congregation we shall be glad to have you worship with us.

## Michelson Memorial Church

Services Sunday at 10:30 a. m. and 7:00 p. m.

# A Rare Treat---

We have many good bargains, but the greatest this week is our MATTRESS offering and it comes at a time when prices on this kind of merchandise are going up. Manufacturers are withdrawing their prices and you can look for a sharp advance.

Our 50-pound Combination Felt Mattress at **\$7.50**

is a hummer. One customer the other day said "send up six of them." He knew a good thing when he saw it. Take my advice and buy now. Prices are the same. Buy as many as you want.

One for \$7.50; 6 for \$45.00; 12 for \$90.00

## Sorenson Bros.

The Home of Dependable Furniture

## For Thanksgiving Dinner



A HOT, brown, juicy turkey served from a silver Well-and-Tree Platter with one of our new Carving Sets.

The most enjoyable hour of the day will be the one you spend around the table, decorated with beautiful silverware and many good things to eat.

This is the logical time for you to replenish your home with new, elegant silverware of individuality.

Our new Christmas stock has arrived. Here you will find a large, varied assortment of the best and latest patterns in silverware.

## GIFTS THAT LAST

STORE OPEN EVENINGS UNTIL CHRISTMAS

**ANDREW PETERSON**

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WE GUARANTEE EVERY ARTICLE WE SELL



## STATE NEWS

**Kalamazoo**—Mrs. Lou Henshaw, president of the Michigan Photo Studio Co., was elected a member of the new city commission.

**Bear Lake**—By unanimous vote the Bear Lake council has granted the petition of the Bear Lake Power Co. for an increase in rates.

**Mt. Clemens**—Carl A. Blomquist, former Detroit real estate dealer, who escaped from the Macomb County jail here, Oct. 13, has been returned to the jail.

**Adrian**—The local passenger train on the Detroit, Toledo & Ironton Railroad (Ford line), was restored Nov. 15. The train runs between Tecumseh and Detroit.

**Detroit**—Prices of gasoline and oil took the second jump in three weeks when dealers announced the retail price of gasoline as 22.4 cents a gallon, an increase of 1.5 cents.

**White Cloud**—John Beem, a farmer living near Fremont, has been appointed probate judge of Newaygo County by Gov. Grosbeck. He is now a member of the county road commission.

**Mopre**—Complaints were made here against Mrs. Leone Burbanks of Adrian and Dr. J. Unger of Monroe, charging them with practicing medicine without a license. Mrs. Burbanks is an osteopath and Unger is a chiropractor.

**East Lansing**—Truck and tractor operators on Michigan farms will study correct methods of handling their machines at a special short course which will open at the Michigan Agricultural College Nov. 28. The school will run for a month.

**Kalamazoo**—C. Hubbard Kleinstuck, local attorney, was accidentally shot by Hugo North, while the two were with a party of hunters in Northern Michigan. North fired at a partridge, but he slipped and the shot entered the attorney's leg.

**Bad Axe**—Florence McIntosh, 5 years old, daughter of John McIntosh, Sheridan Township, Huron County, is dead from burns received when her clothing caught fire from an overturned lamp. The child was in the house alone at the time of the accident.

**Flint**—Police have been asked to stop the practices of a woman said to be posing as a detective and to be luring girls away from home. One father claimed that his daughter was taken from home by the woman and later induced to go on a joy ride with several men.

**Monroe**—A concrete reservoir with a capacity of 3,000,000 gallons and costing \$80,000, to be used in connection with the proposed filtration plant, will be erected on the shore of the River Raisin. The city commission authorized the purchase of a site for \$5,000.

**Saginaw**—George L. Burrows, 85, pioneer in the lumber industry of the Saginaw Valley and prominent in banking and business circles, died here. He was one of the builders of the first street car line here, and president of the Niagara Falls International Bridge company.

**Detroit**—James Couzens was re-elected mayor of Detroit at the Nov. 8 election, defeating D. W. Smith by a large majority. The voters also voted to oust the Detroit United Railway from two streets where franchises have expired. Trackless trolleys were also approved and will be given a tryout in this city.

**Flint**—That Michigan tuberculosis sanatoria are short 1,400 beds for the care of persons now seeking admission was the statement made by officers of the Michigan Tuberculosis Association, at a meeting held here by the directors of Christmas seal sales in 14 counties. It was stated the death rate from the disease has decreased from 114.56 per thousand in 1918 to 97.8 in 1921.

**Lansing**—There is nothing to prevent the operation of motor cars and trucks as common carriers on the highways of the state until the legislature enacts laws regulating the operation of passenger and freight carrying motor vehicles, officials of the Michigan Highway Transportation association announced. The Ottawa county circuit denied a petition by the G. R. C. H. & M. railway for a permanent injunction to prevent the operation of trucks and motor buses as common carriers.

**Owosso**—Thirteen miles of pavement, starting at the east city limits of Owosso and extending to the Genesee county line on the Flint road, will be built by the federal, state and county governments in 1922, it is announced from Lansing. The improvement will cost \$390,000, of which Shiawassee county will pay \$97,500. The route has already been surveyed and the right-of-way obtained through several farms near Kerby to enable the county to eliminate the jog of 40 rods in the road at Kerby.

**Kalamazoo**—The Allied Paper Mills, formed to take over the properties of the King Paper and Monarch Paper company, of Kalamazoo, and the Bardeen Paper company, of Otsego, was organized at a meeting of the combined directors. The consolidation represents the combined capacity of 10 paper machines and 34 coating machines, the coating division being the largest in the world. A pulp mill, insuring an adequate supply of bleached pulp is to be purchased. The capital of the new company is not yet determined, but will be approximately \$6,000,000.

**Kalamazoo**—Driven desperate by neighborhood gossip, Mrs. Anna May Beckett, 35 years old, committed suicide swallowing a quantity of carbolic acid. A note addressed to her husband, was found a half hour after her death. In it she said she had heard of stories circulated in the neighborhood and that she had worried about it until she could stand it any longer. When the husband returned home, he found the wife dead and drained it. He was taken to the hospital by "motor" and is recovering.

**Petokey**—After four years as farm agent for the Emmet County Farm Bureau, K. K. Vining has accepted the same post in Kent County.

**Eaton Rapids**—The Techeconsit Camp Fire Girls will hold a "White Elephant" sale in rooms adjoining the city library November 25-26.

**Lansing**—Irma Pettit, sentenced in 1916 to serve 10 to 20 years in the Detroit House of Correction for killing her common-law husband at 431. Clemens was paroled by Gov. Grosbeck.

**Saginaw**—Congressman J. W. Fordney, of Saginaw, head of the ways and means committee of congress, headed a large party of local hunters north to the deer territory in the upper peninsula.

**Sturgis**—Hobart Johnson, 21, is missing from his home here and his parents fear that some serious accident may have befallen him or that he may have become mentally deranged.

**Sturgis**—This city's tax rate has been reduced \$4.32 from last year by the city commission. Under the commission form of government, the tax rate has been reduced a total of 36 per cent.

**Ann Arbor**—Dr. Levi Barbour of Detroit is in a local sanitarium for an indefinite rest. Dr. Barbour is a former regent of the University of Michigan. He has made many large gifts to the university.

**Port Huron**—The new Gratiot concrete turnpike will be officially opened Nov. 28, from Marysville to Detroit. A celebration is planned in which Port Huron, Marysville, St. Clair and Marine City will participate.

**Grand Rapids**—Through financial assistance given by Mrs. Edward Lowe, Butterworth hospital's outpatient department has been increased to care for 30 persons daily. Its former capacity was limited to five or six.

**Grand Rapids**—The Rindge-Kalmach-Logie Co., shoe manufacturers, have asked the appointment of the Michigan Trust Co. as receiver, preparatory to dissolution of the company, which was organized in 1902.

**Adrian**—The next session of the Michigan legislature will be asked to rename the Adrian-Toledo highway, now known as Michigan Trunk Line No. 34, in honor of the late Will Carleton, "Michigan Poet," who died in 1912.

**Saginaw**—Consolidation of the Bell and Valley Home Telephone systems, eliminating duplication of service, now under consideration by the State Public Utilities Commission, has been endorsed by the Saginaw Board of Commerce.

**Saginaw**—Rev. Fr. James E. Reardon, for the past two years assistant pastor of St. Mary's Catholic church, has received word from Bishop E. D. Kelly that he has been named superintendent of hospitals for the Grand Rapids diocese.

**Muskegon**—Charles L. Reed, Whitehall merchant, was arraigned in Justice Court on a charge of attempted arson and demanded an examination. Reed is charged with attempting to burn a house owned by him in Whitehall on which he carried \$3,000 insurance.

**Pottersville**—Thieves entering W. H. Van Auker's drygoods store at night, fitted themselves out with clothing, valued at \$50, leaving their coat-of-arms. They also broke into the billiard room of Wertz & Peterson and helped themselves to a lunch, cigarettes and Canadian money.

**Ann Arbor**—Robert Magolia and Sidney Lomborg, both of Detroit, were arrested on a charge of running-racing. Eight cases of whisky were confiscated by Sheriff's officers. The men waived examination and were bound over to the December term of circuit court under bail of \$2,000 each.

**Saginaw**—Mrs. Marie Skowiski, Carrollton, for whom a warrant was issued charging larceny, has left her home leaving four small children to provide for themselves, police report. Her husband, Tony Skowiski, is confined in the county jail on a charge of violating the prohibition law. The woman took one child with her, the police state.

**Iron Mountain**—A total of 988,895 tons of ore was mined at the various mines in Dickinson County during the season just closed. It was the smallest tonnage in years, and was only 300,000 tons more than was produced at the Chapin mine alone last season. Only the mines of the Oliver Iron Mining Co., Penn Iron Mining Co., and the Loretto Iron Co. were active, and these for only a part of the year.

**Pontiac**—The Detroit United Railway is defendant in a \$5,000 damage suit brought by Elsa Kurtz, of Pontiac, and now being heard in Circuit Court. Kurtz, a saleswoman for the Michigan Tool Co., lost her right leg below the knee following an accident in Detroit Nov. 1, 1920, when a D. U. R. car backed into an automobile that he was driving. Kurtz maintains the amputation was the result of injuries he sustained, but the defense contends it was due to other causes.

**Muskegon**—City Attorney Farmer notified the American Traction & Lighting Co., that if the company placed its street cars in the bars, as it threatens to do unless jitney competition is eliminated, the city will request a receiver for the lines. The Muskegon Traction & Lighting Co., the local organization, owes the city \$40,000 in back taxes. The company says it is losing \$4,000 monthly and is ready to quit. It is possible a proposition to bond the city for the purchase of the lines will be worked out. City officials refuse to oust jitneys.

**Muskegon**—A sweeping investigation into the attempted suicide of Russell Palmer, 25 of Buffalo, an inmate of the county jail who took poison after having been taken to the city police station and put through the "third degree" by local and state police officers, was being ordered by Circuit Judge John Vanderwerf. County officials were called to the judge's chambers where orders were given to Prosecutors Attorney Harry W. Jackson to obtain affidavits from every officer who was not willing to do with the removal of Palmer.

## ADD \$2,250,000 TO STATE ROAD FUND

FEDERAL AID MAKES TOTAL OF \$15,000,000 WHICH IS NOW AVAILABLE.

## BRIDGES WILL GET ATTENTION

Road Commissioner Rogers Says Time Will Be Devoted to Spans in South Half of State.

Lansing—Michigan will receive an additional \$2,250,000 of federal highway aid, the federal highway department informed Frank F. Rogers, highway commissioner, last week.

This will mean that Michigan's 1922 road construction program will be based on an expenditure of \$15,000,000, instead of the \$13,000,000 originally planned. Bridge construction, Mr. Rogers says, will be a much larger item in next year's expenditures than it has been in the expenditures this year.

"We are so anxious to fill in the gaps in the trunk lines," he said, "that we bridged every cent and every minute spent on bridges this year. Now that the gaps are pretty well taken care of, we shall devote more time to bridges in the southern half of the state next year, while a large part of our construction will be in the northern half."

Mr. Rogers announced that no more state aid will be paid on county roads unless the highway program of the particular county has previously been submitted to the state highway department and approved, and the particular road has been authorized as a state aid road.

Under legislation enacted by the legislature, the highway department is authorized to specify the roads on which state aid will be paid. The curtailment of expenditure on these projects is made necessary by the fact that the state has only \$1,330,000 with which to pay state rewards next year.

The highway programs to be prepared by the county road commissioners are expected to outline road-building programs for some years in the future, and to contemplate construction of state aid roads, or improved roads of some sort, every three miles east and west and north and south across the county.

**WAS FREE TO MAKE PROMISES**

But New Mayor Finds It Impossible to Keep Them.

Youngstown, O.—George L. Oles, market proprietor, who was elected mayor on an independent ticket after he had established a residence here only three months ago, "backed down" on some of his campaign pledges and made new promises in his first formal statement after his election.

Oles isn't going to throw out the street cars and turn the streets over to the jitneys, he indicated. He finds he can't legally dismiss the street railway commissioner as he had planned, he says. But these bootleggers are going to be cleaned up, he declares, and reiterates his pledge that the chief of police and the whole force will be dismissed if they don't obey orders to that effect.

**GARDNER GOES TO BOYS' SCHOOL**

Governor Names Red Arrow Major for Assistant Superintendent.

Lansing—Major John F. Gardner, who commanded Company K of Cheboygan, on the Mexican border, and who later won the Croix de Guerre for service with the Red Arrow division in France, has been appointed by Governor Grosbeck as assistant superintendent of the State Industrial School for Boys, filling one of the vacancies caused by the discharge of superintendent Joseph M. Frost, and his assistant, James Roden.

Major Rolph Duff, secretary to the governor, is temporarily in charge of the institution. The governor has hinted that Major Gardner may be given the place.

## JURY MIXED AND SO IS VERDICT

No Decision Reached in Alienation of Affections Case.

Saginaw, Mich.—Saginaw county's first mixed circuit jury, composed of six men and six women, failed to agree in the \$5,000 alienation of affections case of Albert Alexander against Charles E. Woolston. The jury deliberated eight hours. Alexander, a well-to-do Brady township farmer, alleged that Woolston, a neighbor, won away the affections of Mrs. Alexander.

**Dead Husband Is Sole Heir.**

New York.—A husband who died 22 years ago is made sole heir to a fortune of \$3,000,000 while his second and living mate is unmentioned in the will of the late Mrs. John H. Scott. The will was drawn in 1872 when she was the wife of Albert Woolston. He died in 1899. The next year she was married to Thomas C. Scott, 24 years her junior, who survives her. But she failed to change her will.

**Search For Mountain Mushrooms.**

Paris.—Mountain mushrooms are solemnly declared by the Academy of Sciences to be the "world's crowning gastronomic delight." Prof. Constantine, famous botanist, informed the academy that he had discovered a diminutive mushroom which grows beneath the snow. The discovery was made when hunting elsewhere, 7,000 feet up in the Alps. As a result of the announcement by the scientist several "high-altitude" restaurants are already starting Alpine expeditions.

## HANFORD MACNIDER



Hanford MacNider, of Mason City, Iowa, is the new national commander of the American Legion. The president of an investment banking company in civilian life, he won one separate citations for valor while he was in the army and rose from second lieutenant to lieutenant colonel of infantry during his term of service in the second division. He was born October 2, 1885, and is a graduate of Harvard.

## DRY AGENTS VICTIMS OF PLOTS

U. S. Investigators Say Rum Gang Killed to Cover Secrets.

New York.—Bootlegging gangs have deliberately planned to kill prohibition agents and others who had learned their secrets, it was declared by Assistant United States Attorney McCormick after he had received new reports from department of justice agents who investigated the mysterious death of James McGuinness, chief prohibition agent and a nephew of Joseph P. Tumulty.

McGuinness was found dead from bullet wounds on the shore of New York bay, near Bayonne, N. J. Christmas day, 1920. Some of the others whose deaths are now subjects for official inquiry were found hanged, some were beaten to death and some were shot. In five cases, including that of McGuinness, death was attributed to suicide after cursory inquiry.

Federal detectives have learned recently, however, that bootleggers gave a dinner in this city December 26, 1920, the avowed purpose of which was to celebrate the death of McGuinness, their arch enemy.

## NOBEL AWARD TO FRENCHMAN

1921 Prize for Best Literature Goes to Anatole France.

Stockholm.—The Swedish Academy, on Nov. 10, awarded the 1921 Nobel prize in literature to Anatole France, noted French author. He is the fourth French writer to receive the Nobel prize in literature since its foundation in 1901 by Dr. Alfred B. Nobel, noted Swedish chemist, inventor of dynamite, who created in his will a foundation of some \$9,000,000, proceeds of which provides for annual prizes of about \$40,000 each in physics, medicine, chemistry, literature and peace.

## AMERICA PAYS ITS HOMAGE

Unknown Soldier Buried With Honors.

Washington.—The national hospital for the nation November 11 in doing homage to the unknown soldier who died for his country on French soil. Up in the rotunda of the capitol, resting on the catafalque where Lincoln, Garfield, Grant and McKinley laid, the casket had stood through the night amid heaping piles of flowers and in the morning it was borne away to Arlington cemetery where rest the bodies of America's heroes.

## PRIVATES BACK WATSON FIGHT

Former A. E. F. Men Say Tyranny and Brutality Was Rule.

Washington.—The Private Soldiers and Sailors' Legion last week, in a letter to Secretary of War Weeks, declared that "unless the records of the war department have been tampered all the evidence necessary to prove with a scrutiny of them 'will furnish conclusively that tyranny, brutality and abuse were the rule and not the exception in the attitude of officers toward enlisted men' in the A. E. F."

**Church Gets Community House.**

Lansing.—Announcement has been made that Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Scott will erect and present to the Central M. E. Church community building, including an auditorium, with stage and dressing room; a gymnasium; reading club and class rooms; offices and various features. Work will be started at once. The building will cost about \$250,000. Mr. Scott is chairman of the board of directors of the Reo Motor Co.

**Girl Heiress Foresees Seclusion.**

New York.—Ever since 1920, when the will of Joseph Raphael De Lamar left his daughter, Miss Anastasia, heiress to a fortune of \$10,000,000, Miss De Lamar has lived almost as a recluse, fearing the wiles of fortune hunters. Now she is coming out of her seclusion. Word to this effect was made public when it became known that the young woman, who is one of the richest in America, had leased for the opera season, box 54, in the Metropolitan's famous "diamond horseshoe."

## Items Of Interest in World's News

**U. S. Austrian Treaty Is Ratified.**  
Vienna.—The treaty of peace between Austria and the United States became effective with the exchange of ratifications by the two governments.

**Harding Signs Roads Bill.**  
Washington.—The good roads bill, carrying an appropriation of \$75,000,000 for road improvements apportioned on maintenance provisions by the states, has been signed by President Harding.

**Presents Foch With Painting.**  
Hillsdale, Mich.—L. E. Thompson of Fayette, O., formerly of Hillsdale, has presented Marshal Foch with a painting of the allied leader which he painted. Thompson is a graduate of the art department of Hillsdale college.

**Christmas Ship Sails Nov. 28.**  
Washington.—The navy officer, Alameda, carrying Christmas mail and packages to United States naval vessels in European waters, will sail from Newport, R. I., instead of from Hampton Roads, Va., on Nov. 28. It was announced.

**Ask Lower Hotel Rates.**  
Grand Rapids.—Hotel rates are much too high to permit a return to business normalcy, Grand Rapids wholesalers say. They have adopted resolutions urging Michigan hotel proprietors to place the charges nearer a pre-war basis.

**Mrs. Obenchain's Trial Nov. 22.**  
Los Angeles, Cal.—The trial of Mrs. Madalynne Obenchain, indicted jointly with Arthur C. Burch for the alleged murder of J. Belton Kennedy, was continued until November 22, with the understanding that it would follow the trial of Burch, set earlier in the day for the same date.

**Mayor Forced Off Street Car.**  
St. Paul.—L. C. Hagdon, mayor, was forcibly put off a street car after refusing to pay an extra fare for riding one extra block. He says he will bring the affair before the city council and demand a complete understanding with the street car company regarding "loop" terminals.

**Betting Bandits Take Station.**  
Sioux City, Ia.—Betting here is that bandits will steal the police station. Speculatively inclined are taking odds since a band of crackmen rolled the \$300,000 safe on the second floor of a movie house to a tree escape and carried it away. They got \$1,000. The picture house is near police headquarters.

**Decide on Capital Designation.**  
Washington.—The administration, after a period of uncertainty, has settled upon "the city of Washington" as the official legal designation of the capital. President Harding, in an executive order directed that these words be used in every legal instrument executed here requiring any reference to Washington.

**Re-enacts William Tell Episode.**  
Kalamazoo.—Kalamazoo police are investigating complaints that Donald Freeman, a pupil in the public schools, tried to reenact the arrow and apple episode in the life of William Tell. He is accused of having shot the caps off two companions with a pistol. Neither of the boys was hurt.

**Cabarets May Remain Open.**  
Chicago.—The I. A. M. Limit on cabarets and restaurants was lifted in a decision by Judge Hugo M. Friend of the circuit court. He held that while the police department can regulate and control dancing on any public floor in the city limits, it cannot set the hours in which cabaret dancing shall be allowed.

**Grace Lusk Given Parole.**  
Madison, Wis.—Grace Lusk, Waukesha, Wis., school teacher serving a 19-year sentence for the slaying of Mrs. David Roberts as the result of a love triangle, will be released from Wisconsin state penitentiary at Waupun on parole by Gov. J. J. Blaine. The prisoner will go to a hospital for prolonged treatment for gonorrhea which has undermined her health.

**Woodworth Nomination Confirmed.**  
Washington.—The senate has confirmed the nomination of Fred L. Woodworth to be collector of internal revenue at Detroit. A commission will be issued immediately to Mr. Woodworth and he will succeed John Grogan, the incumbent, as soon as the books in the Detroit office can be checked over and balanced. Woodworth was appointed on recommendation of Senators Newberry and Townsend.

**Mates Death Breaks Her Heart.**  
Baltimore, Md.—When informed that her husband, George J. Huster, a retired insurance broker, had died suddenly while attending services in James' Methodist Episcopal chapel, Mrs. Lillian H. Huster dropped dead in her home in Waldron avenue, Pikesville. The couple had been inseparable for 40 years and friends believe that the woman's death was due to a broken heart. The couple had planned to celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary next month.

**Find Horse Stolen 3 Years.**  
Pontiac.—An Arabian horse which John Zolner, Pontiac Township farmer, says was stolen from his barn three years ago, was located in Detroit. It was recognized on the street by the man who had sold the animal to Zolner. It was found to belong to the Miller Carriage Co. John Miller, 8851 the Baldwin street, Detroit, was brought here for questioning after it was found he sold the horse to the Miller company. Miller claims to have bought it from a stranger.

## THE AMERICAN LEGION

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## FINDS JOBS FOR LEGION MEN

Minnesota Department Commander Holds Remarkable Record as Soldier, Citizen and Legionnaire.

Dr. A. A. VanDyke, Minneapolis, Minn., newly-elected commander of the Minnesota Department of the American Legion, is a remarkable record as a soldier, citizen and legionnaire. When the American Legion came into being, Dr. VanDyke immediately became an active member. He was the first vice commander of St. Paul Post No. 8, which at the time was the largest post in the United States. He has served as chairman of the Ramsey county welfare committee and was a member of the legislative committee instrumental in getting the soldiers' bonus bill before the legislature.

Dr. VanDyke was born in Alexandria, Minn., and was graduated in 1903 from the University of Chicago School of Medicine. He later completed a course in dentistry at University of Minnesota. During the war he enlisted in the signal corps and because of previous training in artillery was sent to the M. O. R. S. camp in New Jersey as instructor.

Director of the Government Veterans Bureau Aims to Give the Doubt to Claimants.

Gen. Red Tape, merciless foe of the disabled man, has been almost entirely eliminated through efforts of the American Legion. In its successful campaign for the passage of the Sweet bill—and the efforts of Charles R. Forbes, director of the government veterans' bureau.

Hisself a veteran and a legionnaire, Mr. Forbes has adopted a policy of seeking out the disabled man instead of letting the disabled man find his way into a pigeon-hole via the route of red tape.

The government put an end to the disability authority in the dealing with ex-service men with the appointment of Mr. Forbes as head of the veterans' bureau. This bureau dispenses the insurance, looks after hospital care and the difficult task of restoring disabled men to their former earning capacity, or creating them anew through vocational training.

Mr. Forbes' policy in dealing with compensation claims of disabled men and women gives the doubt to the claimant. "No claim," says Mr. Forbes, "shall be disallowed unless the disallowance is imperative, and doubts are to be decided in favor of the disabled man or woman."

**HOW TO CURE UNEMPLOYMENT**

Secretary of Labor, Writing in Legion Weekly, Tells How Situation May Be Relieved.

Writing in the American Legion Weekly on "Seeking the Cure for Unemployment," James J. Davis, secretary of labor, sums up the cure in a single paragraph as follows:

"Wage earners can help by giving up unreasonable demands so that employers can afford to start their mills again, or so that buildings can be built—houses, schools, factories, stores. Merchants can help by giving people an effort to buy clothing, furniture, food and general supplies. The landlord can help by lowering unreasonable rents, so that workmen can afford to accept a wage that shall become a living wage as rents are lowered."

**Warm Welcome for "Legion" Steamer.**

After having clipped ten hours off the record run between New York and Rio de Janeiro, the all-American-manned steamer American Legion, has returned to New York, following her maiden voyage. The vessel, with the majority of its crew members of the Legion, was greeted in every South American port it touched by Legion posts. Along the Plate river from Montevideo to Buenos Ayres, the captain reported, launches put out from shore and their owners cracked bottles of wine and champagne over the bow plates of the ship as she slowly made her way up the river. This, he said, was the South American Legionnaires' way of expressing their welcome.

**A Great Light.**

The skipper was examining an ambitious job who wanted to be a gunner's mate.

"How much does a six-pound shell weigh?" he asked.

"I don't know," the govt. confessed. "Well, what time does the twelve o'clock train leave?"

"Twelve o'clock."

"All right! then how much does a six-pound shell weigh?"

"Ah," said the youthful mariner, a great light dawning on him. "Twelve pounds!"—American Legion Weekly.

**Added Attraction.**

"In one way the auto is far ahead of the airplane."

"How's that?"

"Well, if anything goes wrong with the auto you can always get out and push."—American Legion Weekly.

## WOMAN SAVED BY LEGION MAN

Mississippi Lieutenant Awarded French Medal of Honor and Life Saving Emblem.

A woman caught in a jam of civilians fleeing a town in the war zone of France was forced over the parapet of a bridge, falling into a stream 70 feet below. Several French officers looked on in horror, but a young American officer without hesitation leaped after the submerged woman, bringing her to the surface and safely landing her on the shore.

The hero was George A. Dunagin who at the time was a lieutenant in the Hudson service of the United States army. For his bravery he was awarded the French medal of honor and the Congressional life saving medal.

Today, Dunagin is in charge of the Shreveport (La.) sub-station of the United States Veterans' bureau in Paris and London, and was assigned by the American Legion to assist General Dawes in the investigation of the needs of disabled ex-service men.

Dunagin was born at Laurel, Miss., and was educated at the Mississippi A. & M. College. His military service, which after an injury sustained in a machine gun accident, was in the diplomatic corps, took him to seventeen European countries.

**"LEGIONAIRE" NAME OF TOWN**

Arkansas Doughboys Settle on Adjoining Tracts in Oklahoma and Form 2,500-Acre Colony.

They are beating their swords into plowshares—the billiard way of saying that veterans of the World war are going back to the farm.

In Arkansas, on a 2,500-acre tract, a "colony" of sixteen former service men descended from Tulsa, Okla., and settled on adjoining quarter-sections of land. All of them were members of the Joe Carson post of the American Legion and they plan to establish a trading center and town under the name "Legionaire."

The doughboy colony is in Scott county. Most of the settlers will be able to call the land their own in seven months as the state allows two years of war service to count on the residence requirement.

Some of the men will spend the winter on their land, clearing timber, building, hunting and trapping. It is estimated that 100 service men of Tulsa ultimately will settle on government land.









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#### ANOTHER GRAYLING CASE.

It Proves That There's A Way Out For Many Suffering Grayling Folks.

Just another report of a case in Grayling. Another typical case. Kidney ailments relieved in Grayling with Dean's Kidney Pills.

Peter Wm. Christenson, Chestnut St., Grayling, says: "I have used Dean's Kidney Pills on different occasions in the past and they have always proven of great benefit to me. When my back has been weak and lame and the kidney secretions too frequent in action, I have used a box or so of Dean's Kidney Pills and they have always cured the complaint."

The above statement was given October 11, 1916 and on April 28, 1920 Mr. Christenson writes: "Dean's Kidney Pills are one good kidney medicine. They cured me up in good shape and I am glad to say a few words for them. Although I haven't needed to use them for a long time I am just as glad to recommend them as I did before in 1916."

90c. at all dealers. Foster-Milburn Co., Mfrs., Buffalo, N. Y.

#### How Not to Take Cold.

Some persons are subject to frequent colds, while others seldom, if ever, have a cold. You will find that the latter take good care of themselves. They take a shower or cold sponge bath every day in a warm room, avoid overheated rooms, sleep with a window open or partly open, avoid excesses, over eating, becoming over heated and then chilled and getting the feet wet. Then, when they feel the first indication of a cold, they take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy without delay and it is soon over.

SUBSCRIBE FOR THE AVANCEE.

## SAPOLIO

Finds countless uses in the kitchen. It cleans cutlery, kettles, tins, porcelain, china, earthenware, linoleum, oil-cloth, refrigerators, tile, marble, shelves and floors. See that the name SAPOLIO is on every package.

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MAKES POTS AND PANS LOOK LIKE NEW

#### FARM BUREAU NOTES.

(Continued from first page.)

rapidly advance those who enter such a contest.

The new porches and paint on the O. B. Scott house give it a most home-like look.

The white paint on the Will Field house adds to an already attractive place, while

We suppose Martin Jagosh's new red barn is bursting full.

Martin planned this fine barn so that a silo and root cellar can be attached. He has the right idea in lots of ways.

He carefully saves and applies all stable manure, both liquid and solid. He plows under green manure.

His farm is growing better, and will continue to do so.

#### Oldest Settler Builds Silo.

John Love, oldest settler in Beaver Creek Township, is building a massive cement block silo, fourteen feet inside diameter.

He has found the newly introduced Golden Glow corn just the thing for silos and will continue to raise it.

#### Free From Tuberculosis.

In his customary progressive spirit Hugo Schieber, of South Branch Tp., has had his fine herd of cows tested at considerable expense, for tuberculosis, preparatory to selling milk.

He is glad to hear that all were found free from that dread disease. Who is next?

#### New Houses.

The fine new houses of Rufus Edmonds, Harley Dittz, George Malling, and Charles Corwin are rapidly nearing completion.

Isn't it splendid that, in these hard times, so many are trying to push on and ahead instead of looking?

Everyone of these houses has a nice cement basement under the whole house, with cellar wall straight down.

#### Soy Beans.

Clifford Merrill planted one quart of soy beans, Mandarin variety, and harvested two bushels of seed.

This amount of seed will sow a large acreage on Birch Lake Farm next year. More of our farmers ought to be experimenting with soy beans, as they make a highly valuable emergency crop.

Every day in our travels, we are confronted with something good in farming.

Though we see plenty of farms where we wish the farmer would get up and do things, and not live so much to himself, yet we see lots to encourage—lighting rods, all plowing, seed corn well selected, barns improved, stone picked, stumps removed, roads graded, cover crops laid far away to good results; this purchased, paint, yard cleaned up, manure cared for.

Brother farmers! We can win out! We can increase our yields and our income and improve our property and have pure satisfactory farm homes.

Farmers—let us have our own plan and work and reach out, and think success and prosperity.

A BUDGET FOR LIVING ON \$150 A DAY.

Some wise person has been exercising his brain power and figured out a schedule whereby a person can live on \$150 per day. As a little non-sense now and then is relished by the wisest men, we pass it on to our readers. It is as follows:

Gasoline ..... 50c

Oil ..... 50c

Tire upkeep ..... 50c

Butter ..... 22c

Yeast ..... 40c

Cakes ..... 40c

Breakfast ..... 30c

Miscellaneous ..... 11c

Total ..... \$1.50

#### To Whom It May Concern.

I assume responsibility and acknowledge debts contracted by my wife, Frank C. Barnes.

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